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FM AMEMBASSY PARIS

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INFO AMEMBASSY NOUAKCHOTT PRIORITY

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C O N F I D E N T I A L PARIS 32705

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, MOPS, SS, MR

SUBJECT: SAHARA: MAURITANIAN RAILROAD REPORTEDLY
DAMAGED

1. QUAI DIRECTOR ARRAIRS OFFICER CHAUVET TOLD US
DEC. 15 THAT FRENCH HAVE RELIABLE REPORT INDICATING
MAURITANIAN RAILROAD ALONG BORDER WITH SAHARA WAS
SABOTAGED BY POLISARIO OVER WEEKEND. TRANSPORTATION
ALONG LINE REPORTEDLY HAS COME TO HALT. EXTENT OF
DAMAGE NOT KNOWN.

2. CHAUVET COMMENTED THAT FRENCH WERE SOMEWHAT
SURPRISED BY THE APPARENT LACK OF CONCERN ABOUT THE
POLISARIO AND ALGERIA DISPLAYED BY OULD DADDAH DURING
HIS VISIT TO PARIS LAST WEEK.
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